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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Responding to the Office Action mailed August 14, 2002, applicants request reconsideration and allowance of the claims in view of the following remarks:

REMARKS

Claims 1-17 are pending in the application.

35 U.S.C. § 112, Second Paragraph

Claims 1-17 have been rejected for alleged indefiniteness in the term shelf liner. This rejection is not understood.